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For (title): **APPARATUS FOR MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING HAVING A PLANAR STRIP ARRAY ANTENNA INCLUDING SYSTEMS AND METHODS RELATED THERETO**

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1. Type of Application

This new application is for a(n)

(check one applicable item below)

- ☒ Original (nonprovisional)
- ☐ Design
- ☐ Plant
- ☐ Divisional.
- ☐ Continuation.
- ☐ Continuation-in-part (C-I-P).

2. Benefit of Prior U.S. Application(s) (35 U.S.C. 119(e), 120, or 121)

- ☐ The new application being transmitted claims the benefit of prior U.S. application(s) No. _____, filed _____.

3. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for Filing Date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design) Application

35 Pages of Specification
13 Pages of Claims
10 Sheets of Drawing

- ☐ Formal
- ☒ Informal

- ☐ The enclosed drawing(s) are photograph(s), and there is also attached a "PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPH(S) AS DRAWING(S)." 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(b).

B. Other Papers Enclosed

Pages of declaration and power of attorney
1 Page of Abstract
___ Other

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4. **Additional Papers Enclosed**

- ☐ Amendment to claims
- ☐ Cancel in this applications claims _____ before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
- ☐ Add the claims shown on the attached amendment. (Claims added have been numbered consecutively following the highest numbered original claims.)
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (37 C.F.R. § 1.98)
- ☐ Form PTO-1449 (PTO/SB/08A and 08B)
- ☐ Citations
- ☐ Declaration of Biological Deposit
- ☐ Submission of "Sequence Listing," computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.
- ☐ Authorization of Attorney(s) to Accept and Follow Instructions from Representative
- ☐ Special Comments
- ☐ Other

5. **Declaration or Oath (including power of attorney)**

- ☒ Enclosed (unexecuted copy)

Executed by

- ☐ inventor(s).
- ☐ legal representative of inventor(s). 37 C.F.R. § 1.42 or 1.43.
- ☐ joint inventor or person showing a proprietary interest on behalf of inventor who refused to sign or cannot be reached.
- ☐ This is the petition required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.47 and the statement required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.47 is also attached. See item 13 below for fee.
- ☐ Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. 1.41(c) on behalf of *all* the above named inventor(s).
- ☐ Showing that the filing is authorized.

- ☐ Not Enclosed.

6. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application are:

☒ The same.

or

☐ Not the same. An explanation, including the ownership of the various claims at the time the last claimed invention was made,

☐ is submitted.

☐ will be submitted.

7. Language

☒ English

☐ Non-English

☐ The attached translation includes a statement that the translation is accurate. 37 C.F.R. § 1.52(d).

8. Assignment

☒ An assignment of the invention to Johns Hopkins University

☐ is attached. A separate ☐ "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT (DOCUMENT) ACCOMPANYING NEW PATENT APPLICATION" or ☐ FORM PTO 1595 is also attached.

☒ will follow.

9. Certified Copy

Certified copy(ies) of application(s)

<u>Country</u>	<u>Appln. No.</u>	<u>Filed</u>
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from which priority is claimed

☐ is (are) attached.

☐ will follow.

10. **Fee Calculation** (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

A. ☒ Regular application

CLAIMS AS FILED					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) \$710.00
Total Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	54	- 20 =	34 x	\$ 18.00	\$612.00
Independent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	6	- 3 =	3 x	\$ 80.00	\$240.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	

- ☐ Amendment cancelling extra claims is enclosed.
☐ Amendment deleting multiple-dependencies is enclosed.
☐ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time.

Filing Fee Calculation \$ 1,562.00

B. ☐ Design application
(\$310.00—37 C.F.R. § 1.16(f))

Filing Fee Calculation \$ _____

C. ☐ Plant application
(\$480.00—37 C.F.R. § 1.16(g))

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[] Please prepare an international-type search report for this application at the time when national examination on the merits takes place.

[X] Not Enclosed

- [] No filing fee is to be paid at this time.

- [] Enclosed

- [] Filing fee \$

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| [] | Recording assignment
(\$40.00; 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h))
(See attached "COVER SHEET FOR
ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW
APPLICATION.") | \$ |
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- [] Petition fee for filing by other
than all the inventors or person
on behalf of the inventor where
inventor refused to sign or cannot
be reached
(\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.47 and 1.17(i)) \$

- [] For processing an application with a
specification in a non-English language
(\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.52(d) and 1.17(k)) \$

- ☐ Processing and retention fee
(\$130.00; 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.53(d) and 1.21(l)) \$ _____
- ☐ Fee for international-type search report
(\$40.00; 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(e)) \$ _____
- Total Fees Enclosed \$ _____

14. Method of Payment of Fees

- ☐ Check in the amount of \$ _____.
- ☐ Charge Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____.
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

15. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

- ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Account No. _____.
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a), (f) or (g) (filing fees)
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b), (c) and (d) (presentation of extra claims)
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) (surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application)
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to § 1.136(a).
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (application processing fees)
- ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 1.18 (issue fee at or before mailing of Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.311(b))

16. Instructions as to Overpayment

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